

November 22, 2009

The Life of Beverly McCullough



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- Beverly died November 19, 2009 at Moore-Few Care Center in Nevada, Mo.
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- Beverly was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church of Groton and served on the Altar Guild and many committees. She was a true "farmer's wife" - up early in the morning and always preparing the next meal. She was a pristine housekeeper and the queen of the perfect yard. She was a member of the Groton American Legion Auxiliary and a lifetime member of Weight Watchers. Beverly also volunteered weekly at the Groton Nursing Home, reading to the residents.
- Grateful for having shared in her life are her three sons: Greg and Sue Ann McCullough of Lidgerwood, North Dakota; David and Patsy McCullough of Nevada, Missouri; and Gene and Georgia McCullough of Rice Lake, Wisconsin; a sister, Doris Duffy, Sioux Falls; six grandchildren: Kevin McCullough, Brenda McCullough Clark, Elizabeth McCullough Stratman, Jennifer McCullough Westphal, Jason McCullough, Marcy McCullough Rieder, and 14 great-grandchildren.
- Preceding her in death was her husband, Verne, her parents and two brothers.
- Casketbearers will be Kevin McCullough, Brenda Clark, Elizabeth Stratman, Jennifer Westphal, Jason McCullough, Marcy Rieder, Austin McCullough and Hannah Stratman.
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